



NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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SUBJECT: Robbed while Indisposed

A street robbery occurred in the 400 block of Wollaston Avenue, Newark, on April 16 around 12:30 a.m. The victim was urinating behind a backhoe near the Ivy Hall apartments when two people approached him; one was holding a hammer. The suspects searched the victim's pockets and removed his wallet and other personal property. They were last seen going toward the railroad tracks behind the apartment buildings.

Both suspects are black males, 18 to 30 years of age 5' 8" to 5' 10" tall, 150 to 160 lbs. The suspect with the hammer was wearing a white V-neck t-shirt and a baseball cap, possibly bearing the New York Yankees logo.

The victim, a 19 year-old University of Delaware student, was not injured.

Information pertaining to this incident can be reported to Det. Fred Nelson at 302-366-7110 ext. 136 or Frederick.Nelson@cj.state.de.us. Information can also be provided to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333, where a reward may be available.

Text 302NPD and your tip to TIP411 (847411).

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